



The Windmill United Benefice

Burstow – Horne – Outwood

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Sunday 16 August 2026

Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

Collect Prayer

O God, you declare your almighty power
most chiefly in showing mercy and pity:
mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace,
that we, running the way of your commandments,
may receive your gracious promises,
and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Old Testament: **Isaiah 56:1,6-8**

Gospel: **Matthew 15:21-28**

Post Communion Prayer

Lord of all mercy,
we your faithful people
have celebrated that one true sacrifice
which takes away our sins
and brings pardon and peace:
by our communion
keep us firm on the foundation of the gospel
and preserve us from all sin;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Look to the Sky – 3pm today

Roger Hind and Recorders at the Garage will be giving a concert of happy music for a summer afternoon **today at 3pm** in St Bartholomew's, Burstow. Heavenly tunes will feature the sun, the moon and the stars to celebrate the resingled spire. Admission and refreshments are free, with donations welcome.

inSPIREup: Save St Mary's Spire

St Mary's spire turns 150 in 2030, but it needs urgent repair – our local woodpeckers have seen to that. The full project costs £172,000; the church is contributing £50,000, and we are hoping to raise £25,000 through this appeal, with the remainder coming from grants.

Survey complete, architects engaged, and tenders received – this project is moving. See the **inSPIREup** leaflet at St Mary's for full details. Or email stmaryhorne@gmail.com for more information on how to contribute.

Notices by Email

If you would like to receive the weekly United Benefice Notice Sheet by email, please contact the Rector at windmillchurches3@gmail.com

Photography

Please do not take photographs or videos in our services without asking first. Speak to a Sidesperson.

Services in Church

This Sunday, 16 August – Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

9:30am Morning Worship

St Bartholomew, Burstow

10am Holy Communion

St Mary the Virgin, Horne

11am Morning Worship

St John the Baptist, Outwood

During the Week

9am Morning Prayer

Monday

St Bartholomew, Burstow

Tuesday

Smallfield Church Hall

Wednesday

St Mary the Virgin, Horne

Thursday

St John the Baptist, Outwood

Friday

The Rectory, Smallfield

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Gluten-free Wafers

If you would like to receive a gluten-free wafer at Communion, please speak to the Sidespeople before the service.

Online Service

This week's online service can be heard at:

<http://www.windmillchurches.co.uk/category/online-services>

United Benefice Prayer

May we seek to serve God in this community
seven whole days, not one in seven;
may we inspire people through worship and word
to live out God's love in their daily lives;
and may we welcome everyone into our midst,
through Christ our Lord. Amen

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU

Please send **items for the next notice sheet** to Peter Nye (peternye44@gmail.com)
by 6pm on **Wednesday 19 August**